

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Withdrawn): A method of using an adhesion promoter comprising from 2 to 100% by weight of a copolymer comprising the following monomer units:

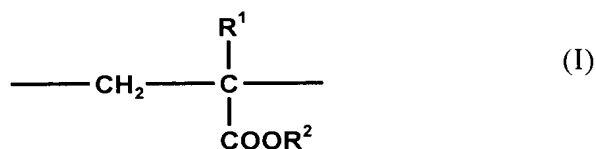
- a) from 70 to 99.9% by weight of monomer units which are derived from vinyl compounds selected from acrylic acid derivatives, methacrylic acid derivatives, and vinylaromatic derivatives and also
- b) from 0.1 to 30% by weight of monomer units which comprise a functional group selected from a carboxylic anhydride group, an epoxy group, and an oxazoline group,

for production of a bond between

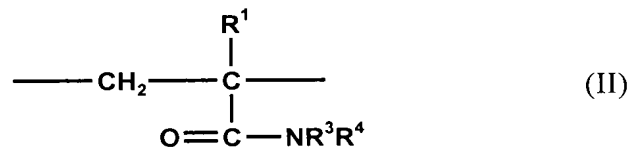
- I. a layer comprising a polyamide molding compound, and
- II. a part comprising an acrylonitrile, butadiene, styrene ABS molding composition.

Claim 2 (Withdrawn): The method claim 1, comprising a copolymer comprising the following monomer units:

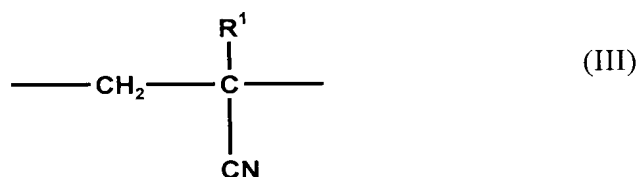
- a) from 70 to 99.9% by weight of monomer units selected from units of the following formulae:



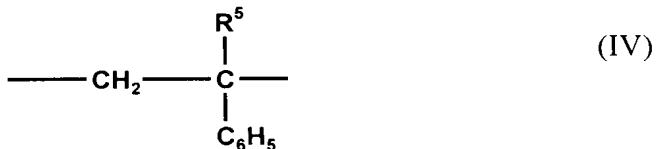
where $\text{R}^1 = \text{H}$ or CH_3 and $\text{R}^2 = \text{H}$, methyl, ethyl, propyl or butyl;



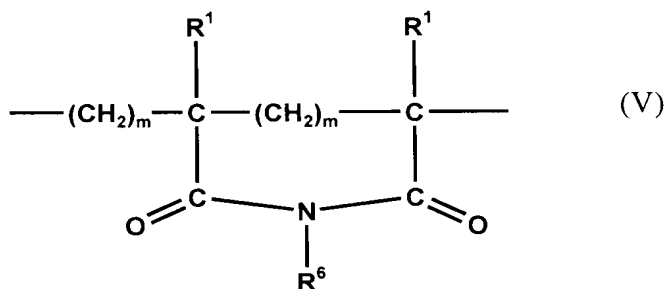
where R^1 is as above and R^3 and R^4 , independently of one another, are identically H, methyl or ethyl;



where R^1 is as above;

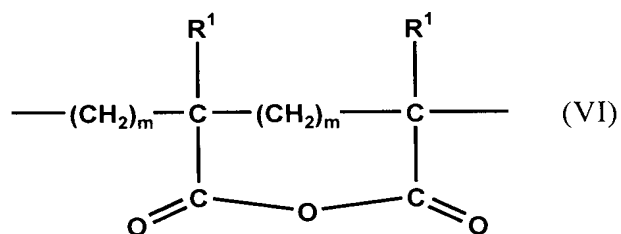


where $R^5 = H$ or CH_3 ;

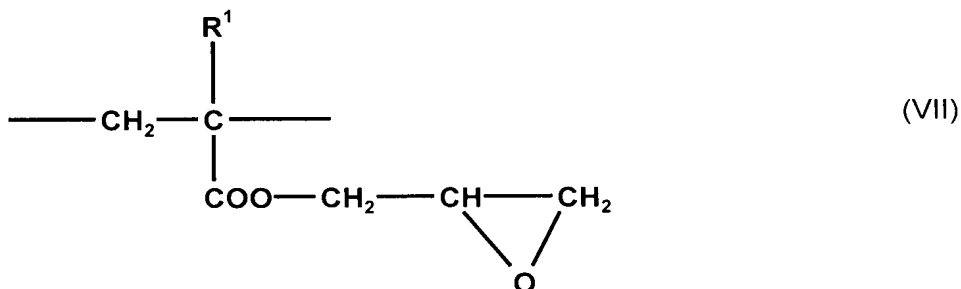


where R^1 is as above and $R^6 = H$, methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl or phenyl, and $m = 0$ or 1;

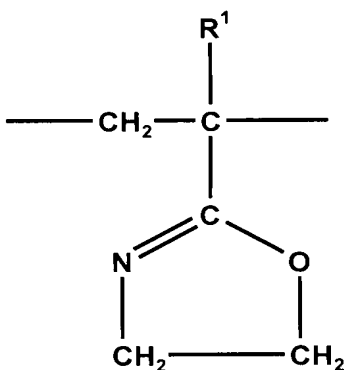
- b) from 0.1 to 30% by weight of monomer units selected from units of the following formulae:



where R^1 and m are as above;



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where R¹ is as above.

Claim 3 (Withdrawn): The method of claim 1, wherein the adhesion promoter comprises

from 2 to 99.9% by weight of the copolymer, and

from 0.1 to 98% by weight of ABS.

Claim 4 (Withdrawn): The method of claim 1, wherein the adhesion promoter comprises

from 2 to 99.9% by weight of the copolymer, and

from 0.1 to 98% by weight of polyamide.

Claim 5 (Withdrawn): The method of claim 1, wherein the adhesion promoter comprises

from 2 to 99.8% by weight of the copolymer,

from 0.1 to 97.9% by weight of ABS, and

from 0.1 to 97.9% by weight of polyamide.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): A multilayer film comprising:

at least one layer comprising a polyamide molding composition, and

at least one layer comprising an adhesion promoter comprising

(a) from 2 to 99.9% by weight of a copolymer, and

(b1) from 0.1 to 98% by weight of ABS, or

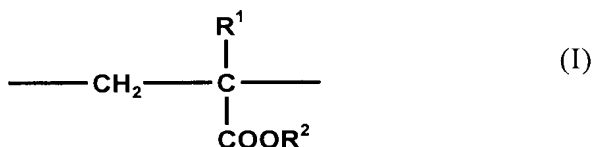
(b2) from 0.1 to 97.9% by weight ABS and from 0.1 to 97.9% by weight of polyamide,

wherein

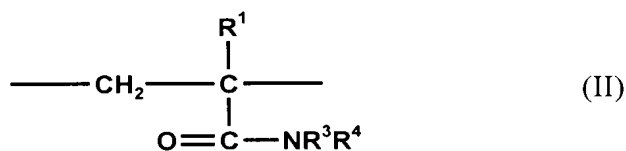
the ABS comprises from 5 to 30 weight% rubber and 10 to 45 weight% acrylonitrile,
and

said copolymer comprises

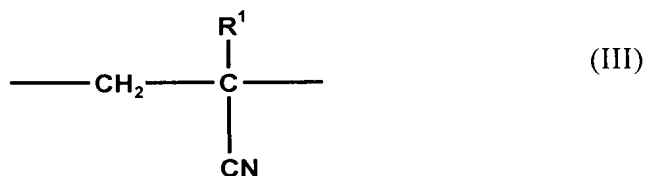
(a) from 70 to 99.9% by weight of monomer units selected from the group consisting
 of



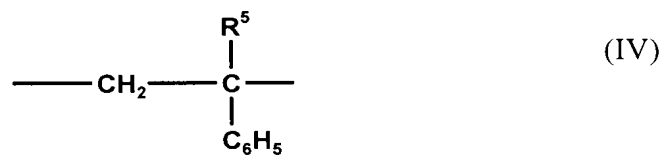
where $\text{R}^1 = \text{H}$ or CH_3 and $\text{R}^2 = \text{H}$, methyl, ethyl, propyl or butyl;



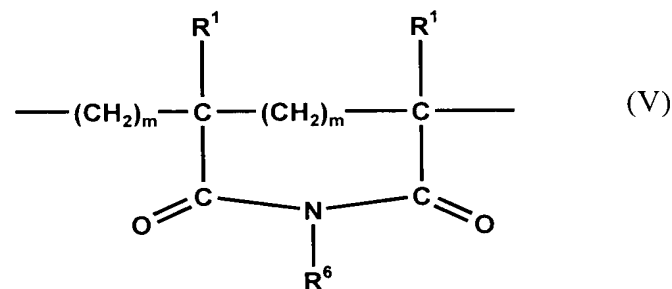
where $\text{R}^1 = \text{H}$ or CH_3 and R^3 and R^4 , independently of one another, are identically H, methyl or ethyl;



where $\text{R}^1 = \text{H}$ or CH_3 ;

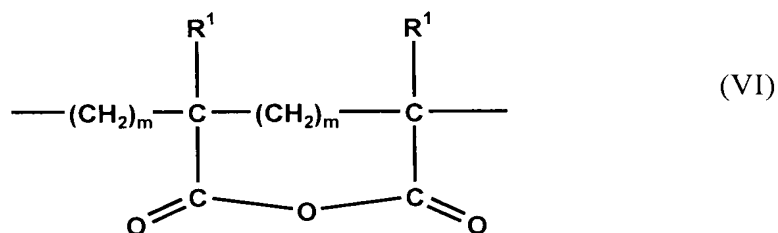


where $\text{R}^5 = \text{H}$ or CH_3 ; and

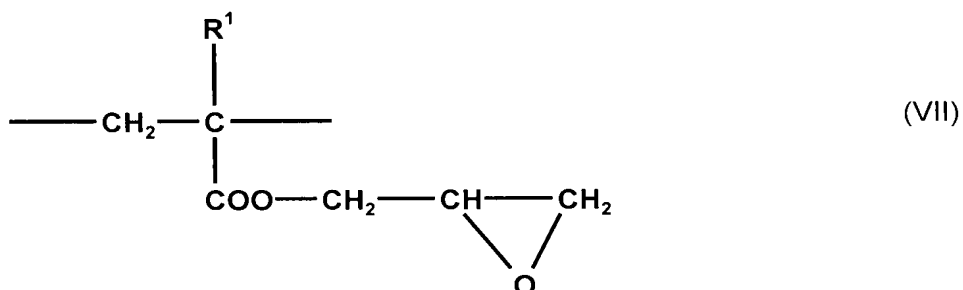


where $R^1 = H$ or CH_3 and $R^6 = H$, methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl or phenyl, and $m = 0$ or 1; and

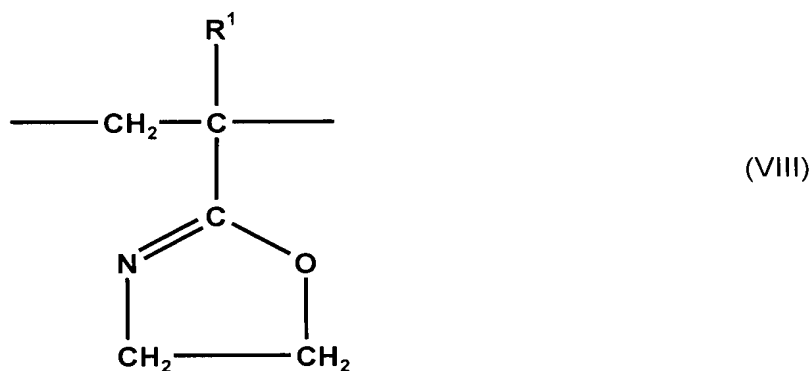
(b) from 0.1 to 30% by weight of monomer units selected from the group consisting of



where $R^1 = H$ or CH_3 and $m = 0$ or 1;



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Claim 7 (Currently Amended): The multilayer film of claim 6, further comprising at least one layer selected from the group consisting of an ABS layer, a polyamide layer, a color layer, a functional layer, and a clearcoat, wherein

the color layer is a lacquer layer or thermoplastic layer comprising an organic dye, inorganic pigment or organic pigment; and

the functional layer is a polyester layer or a polycarbonate layer.

Claim 8 (Withdrawn): A process for producing a multilayer film as claimed in claim 6, wherein the multilayer film is produced by coextrusion or lamination.

Claim 9 (Withdrawn): A composite part comprising
a multilayer film as claimed in claim 6, and
a part comprising of an ABS molding composition.

Claim 10 (Withdrawn): The composite part of claim 9, wherein the ABS molding composition further comprises other thermoplastic constituents.

Claim 11 (Withdrawn): The composite part of claim 9, wherein the ABS molding composition is shaped in the form of a sheet.

Claim 12 (Withdrawn): The composite part of claim 9, wherein the part comprises a bodywork part of an automobile, a cladding, a decorative strip, a cover strip, a panel, or a decorative element.

Claim 13 (Withdrawn): A process for producing a composite part of claim 9, wherein the composite part is produced by coextrusion, pressing, lamination, reverse coating by an injection-molding, compression-molding, or foaming method.